## 1 HONORABLE RONALD B. LEIGHTON 2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 7 AT TACOMA 8 CASE NO. C19-5323RBL DANIEL JERIMIAH SIMMS, 9 Plaintiff, ORDER 10 v. 11 STEPHEN SINCLAIR, et al., 12 Defendants. 13 14 THIS MATTER is before the Court on Magistrate Judge Creatura's Report and 15 Recommendation [Dkt. # 49]. Plaintiff Simms has Objected [Dkt. # 50] to the R&R and the State 16 Defendants have Responded [Dkt. #51]. Simms's Motion to Strike (in his Reply, Dkt. #52) is 17 DENIED. 18 1. The Report and Recommendation is **ADOPTED**; 19 2. Defendants Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings [Dkt. # 39] is **GRANTED.** 20 3. Simms's claims are **DISMISSED** with prejudice, except that his Equal Protection and 21 Due Process claims against the defendants in their individual capacities are dismissed 22 without prejudice, and his state law claims against those defendants are dismissed without 23 prejudice. 24

4. For the reasons articulated in the R&R, Simms' in forma pauperis status is **REVOKED** for purposes of any appeal; and 5. The Clerk shall send copies of this Order to the Simms's last known address and to Magistrate Judge Creatura. IT IS SO ORDERED. Dated this 18th day of February, 2020. Ronald B. Leighton United States District Judge